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Rooted in the practical life of the community which it aims to aid to an upward growth in strength, symmetry and beauty. GROWING out of the quality of youth of all ages about which it hopes to organize the community as its true source, inspiration and hope.

*You are of the Community
By so much as you give to it out of your life something Sempervirent.*

A mining engineer, traveling deep vertical shafts, studied the sensations of loss and increase of weight. He had the hoist man drop him full speed 500 feet and then check him though another 500 feet. From a sensation of weightlessness he experienced a sense of gradual increase of weight throughout his whole body. He concludes and asserts his ability to prove that all phenomena of weight can similarly be explained by the motion of the earth without recourse to any supposed innate attraction of matter.

FROM POLITICS TO BACON

One does not go far these days in any consideration of community life, even upon its lowest terms and in so small a community as ours, without—discouragingly, nauseatingly—running against what we understand as “Politics.” The swelling ocean tides reach to the smallest coves, indeed their most marked and disastrous effects are produced there. The things that vitally concern us—liberty of speech and action, general business prosperity, unemployment, prices, taxes; as well as more locally, the matter of schools, highways, sewers, etc.—are all directly or indirectly affected by politics. We offer, therefore, no apology for presenting what at first sight may seem a pretentious, and no doubt obnoxious, subject.

A changing attitude of mind—a widespread disillusionment and unfaith—toward all things political, greatly accentuated since the war, is patent to all. What is the meaning of this popular trend and to what does it lead? The following quotations from recent books are the most illuminating statements of these matters upon which we have ever chanced. We recommend them to the careful thought of every one of our readers.

“That the name given to the ensemble of ideas about social man was ‘politics’ was due to the preoccupation of the Greeks with their particular social unit, the city-state or ‘polis’. The polis was to them primarily a society and only subsidiarily a State. It was ethical, furnishing the norm of right and duty. It was juristic, embodying in its institutions the foundations of law. It was economic, determining the conditions of material prosperity. It was sociological, revealing the principles that produced not only the best men, but also the best form of association among men. It finally was political, solving the problems of authority and liberty—of the control of one human mind by another. This last is the characteristic that has remained through all the transformations of the ages, ultimate and essential in theory deemed specifically political. Whatever institutions and relations have been thought of as the subject matter of any other science, those concerned with the regulation and control of one man or group of men have been undeviatingly the subject matter of politics. And the fundamental problem of political theory has been constantly to determine on what principles the relation of authority and submission can be explained and justified.”

In bygone days in our innocence we had believed

that somehow, somewhere our politics were based upon the well rounded all inclusive welfare of the nation, as in the quotation is so well set forth. We scarcely need the confirmation of this authority to convince us now that politics as now played, cannot but be a game of the “ins” and the “outs” all along the line, and with scant attention to sportsmanship at that.

Were we to stop here the reader would be, if wiser, also somewhat sadder. The next quotation by another authority lets in the glimmer of a hope that the tide of human affairs has turned again toward that earlier conception of politics, as growing up out of an all round social service; delegating authority and power of control over the wills of others, not artificially and legalistically from without, but automatically and naturally in proportion to, and in accordance with, the degree and quality of community service. Here is the quotation:

“In the first years of the twentieth century the world has become aware of a new and more fundamental cleavage of opinion—due to a revolution of thought with regard to the nature of democracy. It came to be realized that the democratic organization of a community involved the acceptance of the representation, not of man, but of man in the leading aspect of his life in society: man as a producer, man as a consumer, man as a citizen concerned with the continued existence and independence of his race and community, or with the character of civilization that he desires; possibly also man as a seeker after knowledge, or man as a religious personality . . . This new conception of democracy springs in fact from observation of the living tissue of society, that is, from the progressive adaptation of democratic ideas to new economic and social conditions of community life.

So again as with most of our interests we are brought home once more to our own little community with the tested and tried truth that no lasting good can be imposed upon us from above, but must spring up within the very lives of the common people. And one of these, a man from Missouri, now asks “how will all this get me any bacon?” We have but to point out to him that bacon is a link in a chain something like this:—bacon, wages, jobs, population, [highways, civic improvements, schools, etc.] politics, [a well organized community that has learned to work together.] If the last link be well enough welded and said Missourian pulls hard enough on it, link by link the chain will move and we guarantee he will bring home the bacon.

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Community Mention.

A delightful surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Bonneau at their home in Brookdale last Monday, the occasion being their 40th anniversary. Those present were Mrs Duquoy, Mrs Turcot, Miss Brodie, Mrs Whiting, Mrs Cousens, Mrs Winkelblich, Mr and Mrs Cowell, Mr and Mrs Young, Mr and Mrs Moody, Mrs McAbbee, Mr and Mrs Hartman, Mr and Mrs Sweeney, and the hosts Mr and Mrs Bonneau. Refreshments were served, and the guests enjoyed themselves with cards and music by Mr Young. The party broke up at 9 p.m. all declaring they had had a most enjoyable time, and wishing the hosts many returns of the day.

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Our public library deserves special mention. The hours when the library is open to the public have been arranged by the librarian, Mrs. R. L. Christensen, as follows:

LIBRARY HOURS

Afternoons	Evenings
Monday	Monday 6:30
Tuesday 1:30	Wednesday to
Thursday to	Friday 8:30
Saturday 4:30	

The following list of magazines and current papers are worthy of note:

Children's table
University of Calif. Bulletin
Something to Do
St. Nicholas
American Boy
Christian Science Sentinel
On magazine table

American.
World's Work.
Good Housekeeping.
Woman's Home Companion.
The Literary Digest.
The Delineator.
Home Journal.
A Key to Families of Marine Fishes.
United States Navy.
Harper's Magazines
Christian Science Sentinel.
Christian Science Journal.
American Forestry

Files.
Woman's Home Journal.
Woman's Home Companion.
Delineator.
Good Housekeeping.
St. Nicholas.
The American Magazine.
The World's Work.
Popular Mechanics.
American Boy.

Daily Newspaper.
San Francisco Chronicle.

DANCE

SATURDAY, MAY, 28, 1921.

MIDDLETON HALL

MUSIC BY MRS. HORN.
MANAGEMENT OF
MRS. MABEL RAYMOND.

PERSONALS

Ernest Omnes has just returned from San Francisco where he spent a week with friends. It will be remembered that Mr. Omnes recently returned from Prescott, Arizona, in which place he underwent a serious operation. His many friends will be pleased to hear that he is rapidly regaining normal health.

Boulder's sick list is large but the ailments are not of a contagious nature.

Mr. J. Morrow is quite ill at his home on Main Street.

Last Friday, Mrs. Arthur Waters who is still in the Columbia Hospital at San Jose, is reported to have been better than at any time since her illness.

L.G. Joyce and family from San Francisco are spending a few days in Boulder Creek. They say they like our weather very much. They have a cottage at the Boulder Creek House.

Miss George Cunningham was taken to Lane's Hospital, San Francisco, on Tuesday. Her father accompanied her,

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also, a cousin, Dr. Farmer of Felton.

Mr. A.C. Sweeny is home from San Francisco and is driving a new Saxon Six which he purchased while in the city.

Mrs. Dool has spent the week in San Jose.

Mrs. E.R. Longley was in San Francisco several days recently.

Miss Gladys Peery and Mrs. W. Peery left last Friday for San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Lindsay have returned to Boulder Creek for the Summer and are living in the Newman residence.

Austin Morrill, while engaged in chopping wood, cut one of his hands quite badly. When, O when will men learn to have their wives chop the wood and thus avoid physical danger.

We regret to announce that Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cahill, old-timers here, are intending to leave us. They have purchased a fine little place in Santa Cruz and will probably move from Sequoia during this fall.

FOR SALE CHEAP. Wagons, buggies and harness. Inquire Moody & Cress.

VERA EAST

Delicatessen

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AND

Soft Drinks

BOULDER CREEK, CALIF.

W. C. Keene, Grand Master of the Odd Fellows was to have visited Boulder Creek Lodge last Thursday evening week but he missed the last train out of San Francisco and could not be here. However the local Lodges of the I. O. C. F. and Rebecahs went ahead with their program and had a very pleasant gathering spending the evening and late into the night with games, music, card playing and other entertainment together with a supper. Every one enjoyed himself immensely, several visiting odd fellows and Rebecahs with their friends being present.

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A SHOWER

Dame Nature may send April showers but it takes a linen shower for a bride to arouse the ladies.

Mrs. Lawrence gave a linen shower to Mrs. Albert Malone, Friday afternoon, April 29th at her home which was beautifully decorated with snow-balls and yellow rose-buds for the occasion.

Mrs. Malone received many lovely gifts and the afternoon was made merry with music, delicious refreshments and fun.

Those present were: Mesdames: Lanthier, Mc Atee, Christensen, Kelley, Hartman, O. Holm, Eaton, Peterson, A. Malone. Misses: Rena Ercole, Vera East and Rose Funge.

Obituary

Andrew Robson, noted actor, died in Los Angeles, Tuesday of heart trouble. He was well known in Boulder Creek having belonged to the Michelena Movie Company in the early days when "Poverty Flat" and other productions were being staged here. His many friends here, especially the young boys with whom he was a real hero will be grieved deeply to know of his passing on, but unlike other people, a movie hero still lives and moves among us long after he has crossed the Great Divide for on the screen an actor is always with us.

At the time of his death, Robson was appearing with William S. Hart in "Branding Broadway"; Charles Ray in "Alarm Clock Andy"; Dustin Farnum in "The Corsican Brothers"; Lew Cody in "The Beloved Cheater" and "The Butterfly Man".

Robson's relatives are all in Canada where the body will be shipped for burial.

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Musical

A delightful musical recital was given by the pupils of Mrs. Geo. L. Gorat at her residence on Main Street on April 30. Only the class was present upon this occasion, but in the near future, another recital of a more public nature will be given. Mrs. Gordon's home was beautifully decorated in yellow iris and the color scheme was also carried out in the dining room where dainty refreshment were served after the program. Those on the program were Martha and Anabel Whitener, Bernice and Ida Swartout Alma Stotts, Jean Hartman and Bethel McDonald. Other members of the class are Jessie Aram, Jean Shebley, Doris Hartman, Edna Sundell, Helen and Dorothy Wicks.

Musical recitals are such a rare treat in Boulder that we look forward to this coming recital at the High School with great anticipation.

BASEBALL!

Wildcats and Ben Lomond Giants
Battle Thirteen Innings To a Tie.
SCORE: 8 to 8.

Last Sunday a game of baseball was played on Ben Lomond's new field. On account of the infield's having been plowed the game was slow. A ball hit to the infield was an easy out as it invariably stuck in dirt which made it easy to field. The longest hit of the game was a two base hit several were annexed to each of the teams. The Wildcats used three pitchers and the Giants two. Up to the fourth inning the Wildcats were unable to score. At the beginning of the eighth inning the score stood 8 to 4 in Ben Lomond's favor. During the eighth inning the Wildcats managed to put over three runs and another in the ninth. This tied the score which remained the same to the end of the game. There will be more games in the future alternating between Ben Lomond and Boulder Creek.

SALVATION ARMY BENEFIT.

Baseball game between the married men and single men of Ben Lomond, at Wyckoff Baseball Park. Soda and

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Lodges and Organizations

Boulder Creek Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, holds its regular meeting every Thursday at 8:00 p. m., in Odd Fellows' Hall, corner Central avenue and Forest street. Sojourning brethren and all members are cordially invited to attend.
F. Noble Grand, W. F. Horstman
Rec. Sec'y., J. H. Aram.

Idlewild Rebecca Lodge 251, I.O.O.F., meets every second and fourth Monday evening of the month.

Court Wildwood No. 633 I.O.F. (Independent Order Foresters) meets the last Saturday of each month.

CHURCH NOTICES.

St. Michael's (Catholic) Church, Boulder Creek—Mass every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 10 o'clock A. M.

The Christian Science Society, Boulder Creek. Regular services every Sunday at 11 a. m. at Forester's Hall. All are cordially invited to attend.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
BEN LOMOND.
Preaching Services, 11:00 a. m.
Song service 7:45 p. m.
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Ladies' Aid, Wednesdays, 2 to 5
Rev. Edw. Walker, Minister.

Methodist Church, Boulder Creek, Rev. C.F. Withrow, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend all services.

GOSPEL SERVICES

At M.E. Church every evening 7:45.

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FARMERITIS.

The thing of living in a country is great.

First, all you need is a place to live in; and then a horse and a cow and some pigs and chickens.

Then, all you need is some feed for the horse and cow and pigs and chickens and a strong man---

But that's next; A strong man to feed them.

Then you need to read all the farmer books and government bulletins and learn just how things should be done.

Then you need the nerve to go and tell your man how to do everything, and the courage to watch him do it another way and ignore your instructions.

After that, all you need is the gall to

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pretend that you did it, when a bean comes up the was it was intended.

But with all, it's the life; and a fellow could stand it if it wasn't for for the mortgagc and paying the man and buying the feed.

Work of tearing down the old depot store has begun. The workmen are commencing at the top and working down.

Good News.

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Mr. Wherry Jones was seen at church Sunday night with his girl. Some say the first time in ten years.

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WEST BLDG.

BEN LOMOND NEWS

Pouring cement on the new highway was resumed Tuesday after a cessation of activities for a week as a result of recent rains.

Mr. Henderson of Modesto, who came here last week intending to buy a place to be developed into chicken ranch, has located in Soquel where he found a developed ranch suitable to his needs.

Postmaster W. H. Nicholson is kept pretty busy these days answering queries about properties for sale or rent, to meet the demands of people desiring to locate here or spend the summer months in the delightful climate of the mountain region.

The Capwell's Special Excursion from Oakland passed through Ben Lomond Sunday morning on its way to Brookdale. It was composed of nine passenger cars with the baggage car and two engines and had on board about 500 people. Capwell's Special to Brookdale is an annual event given to the clerical force of the store by its proprietors and is looked forward to by the employees as an outing day of unusual pleasure.

The vegetation not previously nipped by frost was much benefitted by the rains of last week.

Additions to homes and summer dwelling, painting exteriors, pruning trees, and planting flower gardens are among the activities of the community and this provide an added cheerfulness to the neighborhood environment.

Mrs. Bissett, who is occupying Idlewild cottage, has just returned from a trip to San Francisco.

Warren School Camp was open over Sunday, some 18 or 20 of the boys enjoyed week end outing.

Rowardennan Hotel will open for the season tomorrow, May, 15. Many improvements have been made this season not the least of which will be the new highway running past the hotel door—when completed.

Dr. Kierney is building a new house on his ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Cole are guests of Hotel Dickinson for several weeks.

Miss May Egan and Mr. Brainbridge, of San Francisco, were week-end guests of Miss A. L. Mac Menus, at the Crow's Nest.

Miss Helen Cole, Miss Katy Pike and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lane, motored to the beach at Santa Cruz, Wednesday where they enjoyed a shore dinner.

Mrs. E. L. Bonesteel and Miss Ruth Hunt, of Oakland, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw.

Miss Marjorie Moore, of Berkeley is expected to arrive in Ben Lomond soon. She will be the guest of Miss Grace Dowd.

The tourist season is getting under way in good shape to judge from the visitors in town and the Hotel Dickinson entertained twenty guests over Sunday.

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The song service at the M. E. Church, Sunday evening, was a great success and a pleasure to all those who attended. The audience was large and all certainly enjoyed the musical. The program was arranged so that both audience and choir participated in the singing, but the special number rendered by the choir and the duets were a rare treat. The organist is Mrs. G. L. Gorden. The choir is composed of Mrs. G. Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. De Lapp, Mrs. Bob Booth, Mrs. Fern Loffland, Anna Withrow Mesdames Perkins and Mr. Withrow who due to illness did not take part in Sunday's program. Special mention is due to Mrs. Woodard solo was so beautiful and also to Mr. and Mrs. De Lapp who sang a duet, to Fern Loffland and Anna Withrow who had special numbers. Little Agnes De Lapp accompanied by her father and mother gave an exquisite song. The audience expressed its praise to little Agnes by a hearty hand-clapping. Mrs. Moncrief's Sunday school class also gave a selection. The little girls tied with Mrs. Withrow's class of boys in winning the banner which was given to the class having the highest percentage but the little gentlemen gallantly withdrawing, left the girls to carry off the honor. It is to be hoped that many of these song services will be given.

Up the Flowery Mountain.

Every year, thousands of Chinese pilgrims risk their lives in climbing up the side of Hwa-Shan, the Flowery mountain, which is sacred to the Taoist religion. Any one reaching the temple far above is supposed to have any request granted as a reward for valor and endurance. The Hwa-Shan mountain is over 6,000 feet high, and the ascent in many places must be made along a narrow ledge of branches laid on posts driven horizontally into the face of the precipice. There are no handrails, but a chain held on a rock face offers some security to the ascending or descending pilgrim.

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No, Tulip we hardly think John Swats of Kentucky the instigator of the great war on the house fly.

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He banged the gun to find out why
The bullet wouldn't start.

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